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TEN CENTS A WEEK

SUPT. W. M. HOLLOWAY WIELDS A BIG STICK

Certificates of Certain Teachers Are Revoked and Reward Offered for Evidence to Convict.

TALLAHASSEE, Aug. 21.—Hon. W. M. Holloway, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who, in the past, has been greatly annoyed by the fraudulent practices of certain negro applicants for teachers' certificates, has issued to the county superintendents of public instruction the following circular letter in which he wields the "big stick" in true Rooseveltian fashion:

To the County Superintendents of Public Instruction:

1. On account of the fraudulent practices in connection with the uniform examinations of applicants for teachers' certificates in this State, I have this day, by virtue of the authority vested in me under the provisions of Section 374 of the General Statutes of the State of Florida, revoked the certificates of the following named teachers: Bessie Watts, Gainesville; S. K. Kelley, Lawley; W. A. Rochelle, Gainesville; J. C. Jones, Montecchia; H. C. Williams, Newberry; William Madison, La-Crosse; S. A. Tillman, St. Augustine; Anna P. McElvin, Gainesville; Lucy Murrell, Gainesville.

2. Each county superintendent of public instruction is hereby requested not to admit to any future examination in this State, as applicants for teachers' certificates, William Madison, S. A. Tillman, and Anna P. McElvin; and if by oversight any one

of these persons should be admitted to an examination, and a certificate issued to him or her, as the result of such examination, said certificate will be promptly revoked by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

3. Every applicant for a teacher's certificate in this State shall be required to take the examination in his or her home county, unless he or she at the time of examination shall present to the examiner a written permit from the State Superintendent of Public Instruction entitling him or her to take examination elsewhere.

4. A reward of \$100 is hereby offered and will be paid to any person who shall produce sufficient evidence in any court of competent jurisdiction in this State to convict anyone of illegally securing or attempting to secure the questions to be used in any examination of applicants for teachers' certificates.

5. Each county board of public instruction is hereby requested to offer a reward of \$50 for the same purpose.

6. Before the negro youth of this State shall be permitted to be instructed by a class of thieves and scoundrels the State Superintendent of Public Instruction will revoke the certificate of every teacher and close the doors of every negro school house in Florida. Yours very truly,

(Signed) W. M. HOLLOWAY,
State Supt. Public Instruction.

WALDO NOTES.

WALDO, Aug. 21.—In the absence of the pastor, Rev. T. L. Z. Barr of the Methodist church was called by telephone from Melrose and officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Will Birt at the Baptist church and at the cemetery. Mr. Birt has the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

The Waldo House is closed for a few days pending the making of some repairs and a change in management.

John P. Ambrose returned from his outing North and is improved by his trip, having returned to his position as drug clerk in Gainesville.

Mrs. E. W. Millican is in Hendersonville, N. C., enjoying its advantages as a resort.

The manager of the Waldo baseball team, Nathan P. Cauthen, has a challenge in The Times-Union to any other amateur team in the State to meet it on the diamond.

Pears and grapes, field peas and sweet potatoes are in season—we always have some sort of fruits and vegetables in season.

Attention is being given to clean-

ing out the lots in the cemetery by those whose relatives and friends are buried there. Some non-residents should have their lots cleaned which show sad neglect.

The extraordinary heat has been greatly felt here, but no prostrations ever occur.

Mrs. Horace Ross, after three months' illness, has gone to Jacksonville to recuperate at the home of her mother, Mrs. Davis. Her sister, who attended her in her illness, accompanied her.

Our merchants observe the half-holiday on every Thursday by closing and giving their force a rest.

The whistle of Millican's sawmill is becoming a familiar sound.

Is it possible that a contest with apparent fairness in its terms should have injected into it the tricks of the politician? Some of those who worked in good faith don't care to enter another.

Dr. J. M. Boring returned from an outing ill and has been quite sick, but is improving.

Mrs. L. Seigler has returned from New York and is opening her stock

SANITARIUM NOTES

It has been very gratifying to the management of the Sanitarium that the patronage of the institution has remained so satisfactory during the dull summer months. Patients from the surrounding towns have been arriving almost daily.

O. O. Thomas of Willeford, who recently underwent a serious operation, has been improving rapidly and left for his home, accompanied by his father, yesterday.

Little Dorothy Weaver, the bright four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Weaver, has been quite ill at the Sanitarium for several days, but is better now. "Dolly" is a charming little girl and a general favorite, and her illness is deeply regretted.

Mrs. Shands, mother of our fellow-townsmen, T. W. Shands, remains quite feeble since her arrival last week. Mrs. Shands' advanced age makes her prostration greater. She is under the care of Dr. DePass, who hopes to have her convalescing in a short while.

S. H. Lovell of Rochelle is improving from a serious attack of fever and is now able to sit up. He will doubtless be able to return home at an early date.

E. H. Jackson of Lady Lake returned to the Sanitarium a few days since for additional treatment. He has suffered serious pain and inconvenience from an injured foot.

Wade McKnight of Bradford county left for his home Friday. Some months ago Mr. McKnight had the misfortune to fall and severely cut one of his eyes, which destroyed the sight of the eye and caused it to become seriously diseased. Recently the sound eye began to develop trouble in sympathy with the diseased one, and his attending physician referred him to Gainesville to have the offending eye removed. The operation was performed by Dr. Hodges last week. Mr. McKnight recovered rapidly and was enabled to return home a just a week after the operation.

Miss Helen Green, a member of the nursing staff, spent several days last week at White Springs with a patient.

Mrs. M. E. Tidd has been assisting with the nursing during the past several days.

purchased there, which was sent on ahead. Miss Ruby Sparkman returned with her. They express themselves as delighted with the metropolis.

An application for the appointment as postmaster of Mrs. Amy Atwater was readily filled with signatures and returned to Washington. There is no other applicant.

A Miss Lee and her brother-in-law, Mr. Tyson, came into town over the S. A. L. railroad. They are both invalids and in very destitute circumstances. They lived near Orange Heights some time ago.

AT THE CHURCHES TODAY.

Divine Services Will Be Held at All
Places of Worship.

First Baptist Church—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. R. Y. P. U. meeting at 7 p. m. No other service.

First Methodist Church, Rev. F. R. Bridges—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. League meeting at 3:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. T. P. Hay—Sermon at 10:30 by Dr. A. A. Murphree. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

Advent Christian Church, Elder J. T. Johnson—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject for morning "A Broken Heart." Elder J. H. Leavitt from Chester, N. H., will preach at night. His subject will be "The Gospel." Young people's meeting at 7:15 p. m. Miss Julia Carter president. Subject: "The Power of God." Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Holy Trinity Church, Rev. F. H. Craighill—Eleventh Sunday after Trin-

FLYING MACHINE FLEW OUT OF SIGHT OF CROWD

Expert Management of Machines Applauded by Im- mense Crowds Assembled to See Practice.

RHEIMS, Aug. 21.—Aeroplanes—flying in straight lines, making wide turns or wheeling abruptly, traveling slow and fast and low and high was the striking spectacle offered 15,000 persons on the field of Betheny yesterday.

Two slight accidents occurred. M. Dumansel, driving an Antionette machine, came to the ground side-ways and broke one of the runners of his aeroplane and M. Goffroy, in an Esnault-Pelterie monoplane had accomplished a flight of kilometre when the machine struck a hedge, demolishing its propeller.

This was the second last practice day before the commencement of the prize flights of aviation week.

Glenn H. Curtiss, the only American who is to compete in the races, was given an ovation after a successful practice flight of seven minutes.

Hubert Latham also was applauded for a spectacular flight of ten minutes, and the crowd broke into cheering as M. Bleriot, driving a small forty-horse power monoplane, made a series of masterful maneuvers.

M. Sommer, who recently, though unofficially, beat Wilbur Wright's record for duration of flight, speeded across the plateau during the afternoon and was lost to sight in the haze. It was thought he had descended but suddenly he reappeared. When he landed he announced that he had made a voyage to the village of Vinny and return.

During the evening there was some wind but Count De Lambert and M. Lefebvre, both piloting Wright bi-planes, braved the breeze and simultaneously made evolutions which demonstrated the ease and facility with which machines of the Wright model may be sailed.

Lefebvre was particularly skilful in

handling his craft. Once he wheeled abruptly over the heads of the spectators, causing several women to scream with fright.

George B. Cockburn, the Britisher, and Henry Farman and M. Fournien, all brought out their machines during the afternoon but made no flights, contenting themselves with practicing starts.

Fat Man Wants to Fly.

The aviators were chuckling last night over an offer received by August Post, secretary of the Aero Club of America, from a Frenchman weighing 250 pounds who says he will give \$100 to each and every aeroplanist who will take him with them in their flights.

Numbers of Americans are arriving for the race.

There was a great outburst of enthusiasm when Bleriot and Sommer, crossing each other's course in the air, each politely dipped his machine in salute.

There is now about twenty-eight machines on the grounds, but not all of them are ready for flight.

Mr. Curtiss was not greatly surprised when informed that the Wright brothers had brought suit against the Aeronautic Society of New York, alleging that the Curtiss machine infringes certain of their patents. He said he had known for some time that something of this nature was contemplated, but he failed to see how it would result in anything but a lot of litigation.

Glenn H. Curtiss, the American, was in the air at the same time as Bleriot and Sommer, the two French champions. As the three aeroplanes swept back and forth over the plains at varying heights and maneuvered at the will of their pilots, an enthusiastic French spectator cried out:

"These three men are the winners."

Offerings of Sea Islands Small in Savannah Market

SAVANNAH, Ga., Aug. 21.—The sea island cotton market has been held for steady, with some demand for all grades during the past week. High grades were most wanted, and only business could have been done in those had the cotton been available, but offerings were very small.

Crop accounts are less favorable, reports of deterioration being more general. This has been expected for some time, owing to excess of rains. Two weeks after the rains have caused considerable shedding. These reports come from both Georgia and Florida, but are more decided from

Florida. The excellent prospects of a few weeks back have been modified and the present outlook is for only a normal yield.

Salts for the week, 365 bales.

The following prices were based on factors' quotations and are revised weekly on Fridays:

Fancy Florida	22	822½
Fancy Georgia	22	822½
Extra choice Florida	20	821
Extra choice Georgia	20	821
Choice Gae. and Fla.	18	819
Ex. Bus. Gae. and Fla.	15	818
Fine Gae. and Fla.	13	814
Com. Gae. and Fla.	11	812

Breach of Contract Causes Divorce After Three Days

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 21.—Mrs. S. A. Wilson, who was married to John Wilson on July 9, 1909, and who states she lived with him until July 12, 1909, has filed suit against her husband for \$6,000, which she alleges is the value of the dower and child's share in his estate he promised her, before they were married, he would give her if she married him.

The suit was filed by Attorneys F. M. Hughes and E. P. Upshaw. Mrs. Morris, in her petition, states that she was a widow before she married John Wilson, and was making her living as a seamstress.

She states that she had known her husband five months before they were married, and that he courted her during that time. She declares he was 23 years old, and she 19, and that he had said he was alone, lonely and disconsolate, and wanted her to marry him, that on account of the difference in their ages he was willing to give her an added inducement. She says that at first he offered her his home in which he was living, and

four acres of land, which she refused. On July 1, she alleges he increased the offer by six acres, making it the house and ten acres, and that she accepted, when he said he would do that and give her a child's part in his estate.

She alleges they were married on July 9, and lived together as man and wife; that on Sunday, preceding the day they were to go to Atlanta and have the legal papers transferring the property and giving her a child's part in the remainder of the estate made out, her husband told her he was not going to Atlanta on Monday, nor make out the deed, and if she was not satisfied she could go.

She alleges the house and lot was worth \$3,000, and the child's part a similar sum.

The court was asked to enjoin John Wilson from disposing of the property, or otherwise altering his estate. This was granted in an order signed by Judge L. S. Roan, and Saturday, September 6, was set down for a hearing why the injunction should not be made permanent.

will conduct all services as usual.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church—Rev. P. J. Lynch—Mass will be held at 9 o'clock a. m. Devotion of the Holy Rosary will be at 4 p. m.